STONE & HOMAS.

The Grand Opening

OF THE BIG STORE WILL TAKE PLACE MONDAY AND TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5 AND 6.

Dress Goods Department

New Fixtures. A decidedly new air about this big

Strictly All-Wool and Silk and Wool Checks, Mixtures,
Rough Effects, 38 to 46 inches wide. See them, or if you'd rather, drop a line and samples will be cheer-

38-INCH WIDE FIGURED MORARDS
50-INCH WIDE SICILIANS. 37c
46-INCH WIDE ALL-WOOL STORM SERGE. 39c
46-INCH WIDE ALL-WOOL BLACK NOVELTIES. 50c Don't be backward about writing for samples, if it is not convenient to come in person to the store. A well

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of this store."

Bought by a representative of this firm at the great Silk Sale recently held in New York.

BLACK BROCADED SILKS. 396

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organized Mail Order Department is one of the features

BEACK BROCADED SILKS. 490c
24-INCH BLACK BROCADED SILKS. 590c
BROCADED SATINS 750c
BROCADED SILKS AND SATINS. 83c
On up to \$1.75 per yard. Every intending buyer of Silks ought for their own interest see these wonderful Silk yalus. They are not bell on the silk yalus.

Silk values. They are not half price, but so near like qualities and styles for that we think you'll agree with us in saying we wouldn't be stretching the truth very far by advertising them at one-half regular prices.

CHANGEABLE TAFFETA SILKS. 59c
CHANGEABLE TAFFETA SILKS. 75c Entirely new line of evening shades in all the favorite

New Trimmings. New Wraps.

STONE & THOMAS.

BLANKETS-GEO, M. SNOOK & CO. SEE OUR GREAT LEADERS IN ALL WOOL BLANKETS AT

> \$1.89 PAIR, \$2.47 PAIR, \$3.95 PAIR.

> HIS store is "all right" on the Blanket question from A to Z. About three thousand pairs of Blankets here, nearly all of which came from the CELEBRATED

> ST. MARY'S WOOLEN MILL. This mill was destroyed by fire something over a year ago, but has since been rebuilt and supplied with the LATEST IM-

PROVED MACHINERY, which places it, more than ever, in the front ranks of the Blanket Factories of America. We have secured the exclusive sale in Wheeling of their full line, although another firm in this city wanted it just as badly as we did. Men-tion this simply as evidencing the great desirability of the St.

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St. Mary's Blankets come in white, grey, scarlet, plaid and high colors—in 10-4, 11-4, 12-4 and 13-4 sizes, in napped, unnapped and unshrinkable, in medium, fine and extra fine grades. In short, the better class of Blankets. To start in motion the Blanket business of 1897, we place on sale 300 pairs of a prime quality, in white, scarlet and plaid, at \$3.95 pair. About twenty finer grades up to \$18.00 pair. The following are good all-wool Country Blankets, but not St. Mary's: 100 pairs all wool Scarlet at \$1.80 pair: 100 pairs all-wool White at \$2.47 pair. The following \$1.89 pair; 100 pairs all-wool White at \$2.47 pair. The following have not a trace of wool in them, but they are good substitutes for cheap comforts; 200 pairs Cotton Blank & 39c pair; 200 pairs at 47c pair; 200 pairs at 98c pair. See window display.

WINTER UNDERWEAR-M'FADDEN'S. *****



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McFADDEN'S SHIRT STORE,

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Stacy, Adams & Co.'s Men's Vici Kid Tan Shoes, the \$5.00

Men's Calf Razor Toe Tan Shoes, the \$2.50 Kind, for\$1.50 Men's Tan Shoes, best to wear, our \$2.00 Kind, for You can't make a day's wages easier than by coming up.

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If your eyes need attention they need it at once, belays are dangerous, and may castly result in irrepartable mischief. Keep your eyes arong and your sight clear by the use of successions, which SAYIs the test of the eyes of sight, etc. We test all defects of sight, needed in SATIGMATISM. Consult us; we can help you. No charge is made if advice is given you as to whether glasses will benefit or not.

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Always Up to Date—Ewing Bros.
Butter—H. F. Behrens.
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Call and examine our large and hand-ome line of Foreign and Domestic Wool-ns for Overcoatings, Suitings and Panta-contings at popular prices. We handle schusive noveliles, to be found nowhere

The stylish cut and superior fluish of our garments recommend themselves. Plue Furnishings aspecialty. Agents for Jaros' Hygiene Underwear, Eighnuic Perfect Dress Shirt, Fred Jl., Walton flue Neckwear, and the Jamous Bitter all wool Kuit Jacket.

Just received 500 dolen more of our celebrated double sole Zaco Yarn Halt Hose at 35 a pair.

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Fashionable Tollors and Fine Furnishers,
1321-1323 Market Street.

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In the Circuit Court.

In Judge Campbell's court yesterday Henry Wissvary, a native of Hun-gary, was admitted to citizenship. The case of Stephen McCalloch vs. J. C. Hervey, was put on trial and the evidence heard, after which the quurt adjourned to meet this morning.

In the Justice Shops,

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Before Squire Arkle, Henry Ulrich was remanded in defaurt of \$500 band for his appearance before the grand Jury.

Hefore Squire Fitzpatrick, Bert McConnaughey and Willam Souers, of Bridgeport, appeared to answer the charge of destroying the property of William Baker at the fair. The hearing took place in the jail, McConnaughey was discharged and Souers was held in \$500 for his appearance before the grand jury.

A Farewell Reception.

Dr. A. B. Riker, the retiring pastor of the Fourth street M. E. church, was ten-dered a farewell reception last night by the Epworth League of that church. A pleasing programme of musical and lit-erary selections was rendered in the Sunday school room, where the reception took place. Choice refreshments were served.

Expressions of regret at the paster's departure were tendered by leading members of the church and the various church organizations, to which Dr. Riker made a suitable reply. Many were present who are not members of the church, but called to say good bye to a minister who has endeared himself to all good clitzens during his five-year pastorate in this city. He will carry with him to his new field at Charleston the good wishes of the whole community.

Police Doings.

August Zimmer was arrested yester-day by Officer McCausland for insult-ling ladies on the stone bridge. He will get the full extent of the law, but even that is too mild punishment for such an offender.

Ed. Parker and a "gentleman from Chicago," named Goodfriend, got into a fight in a Market square saloon yes-terday afternoon, over a game of dice and officer McCausland settled the dispute by landing them in the lock-up.

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The Evangelists made so much noise while conducting their services at the corner of Fourteenth and Market streets yesterday afternoon that the people doing business in that vicinity appealed to the mayor. The police were ordered to regulate matters, and Lieutenant Clemans ordered the gendemen to hunt other fields of labor where business would not be interrupted by their expounding of the gospel.

The pleasant effect and perfect safety with which halles may use Syrup of Figs, under all conditions, makes it their favorite remedy. To get the true and genuine article, look for the name of the California Fig Syrup Company printed near the bottom of the package. For sale by all responsible druggists.

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NEW Ready-Made Dresses, GEO, R. TAYLOR.

Pinno Must be Sold.

A fine Chickering Upright Plane in are contearing open trains in see only about one year-perfect in every sense of the word-must be disposed of at once. This is an opportunity of a life time, and anyone wanting a really line plane at nearly one-half its value will find it to their interest to call at once.

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MARSDEN L. COLVIGS Millinery open-to-day. You are invited.

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SPEED and safety are the watch-words of the age. One Minute Cough Cures acts speedily, safely and never fails. Asthma, bronchlitis, coughs and colds are cured by it. Charles R. Goetze, corner Twelfth and Market streets; Bawle & Co., Bridgeport; Pearbody & Son, Benwood.

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A GOOD STRIKE

Made by the Henry Oil Company in Monroe County.

THE DRILL FOUND THE GREASE

Yesterday Moroling After any Unfavorable Showing Just Before-In the Second Pay the Well Started at a Great Rate-The Price Strike is in the Same Neighborhood-Possibly an Extensive Pool Has Been Found-Other Operations.

One of the most Important strikes made in the lower southwest oil fields for a long time is that of the Henry Oil Company on the Holtsciaw farm in the vi-cinity of Benwood, in Monroe county, O. This well, which has been due for some days was drilled to the first pay sand yesterday morning, and all the indications pointed to a dry hole. It was decided to dril the well deeper, and after a short time drilling, the second pay was struck and the well started off at a great rate, and the indications are that it will make even a better well than the Price wen of the Fisher Oil Company, which was drilled in some time ago and started off at over 200 barrels a day.

When the Price well was first drilled in it started off at the above rate, but the matter was kept quiet by the owners for a few days, as there was quite a lot of territory that they wanted to get hold of. The territory secured, they gave out that their well was a good one and that it was making about 190 bar-rels, when in reality it was making the amount stated,

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Since the strike of the Henry Company, on the Holtselaw farm, this morning, the excitement in oil circles over the news has become intense, and quite a number of people have sone out from Sistersville to see the new well and to try to get hold of teritory if possible. The Henry 671 Company's well is not a great distance from the Price well, but it is even a hetter well than that and it shows conclusively that there is something there worth going after.

One good thing about this strike is that the oil is found in the Big Injun formation under circumstances very similar to the Sistersville field. There is considerable eath water with the oil and this is taken as an indication that another pool has been discovered that may yet equal the old pool in the immediate vicinity of Sistersville.

There is a good deal of work going on in that section since the Fisher Company brought in its good well on the Price farm, and several of the wells have been due for some time, but have been delayed with fishing jobs. The Fisher company is drilling several wells and two of them are on the Price farm. Their No. 3 on the Price is in the bottom of the lime and should reach the pay before the last of the week. The same company has a fishing job at No. 1 on the Cehrs farm, and it may be some time before they will be able to set it drilled in. They have projected quite a lot of new work and will push it nongrapidly now, as more good wells have been drillow in that section and is already haufing out the material to start work. Several wells are drilling now and some of them should reach the sand in a few days.

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The Rogerson well, number four, was abandoned Sunday, on account of the tools getting lost. The derrick was moved yesterday and a new hole started fifteen feet from the other well. This will be in fa about ten days. The indications are very good. This well belongs to the North Penn Oil Company composed of Wheeling people.

IN CLERK HOOK'S OFFICE. Deeds Recorded, Marriage Ideenses Issued

Beeds Recorded, Marriage Licenses Issued and Other Transactions. In Clerk Hook's office yesterday a marriage license was issued to Arthur Gondy, aged twenty-one, and Lula B. laiden, aged twenty-three, both

tossen, aged twenty-tirre, both of this city. A deed of transfer was admitted to record, whereby Caroline O'Gary pur-chases the south half of lot No. 214 in the Peginsular cemetery, in considera-tion of \$22.50.

Upholstery Department.

Read Geo. R. Taylor's Advertisement on another page.

Hadshon, The Hatter.

E. F. Hooshon, the well known hatter at 1064 Main street, invites the public to call and examine his fall line of Hats. Every hat in his store is made by himself and sold at one-half the price that the can be purchased elsewhere. Hats also made to order. Mr. Hodshon has recently been in the east and while there secured the latest fall blocks.

MILLINERY OPENING at WORLS'
Monday and Tuesday.

Wheeling Conservatory of Music.

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Persons contemplating the study of music in any of its branches will find it to their interest to wait for the opening of the Wheeling Conservatory of Music, on Monday, September 28th. Write for catalogue. HENRY J. ARBENZ.

Buy Bleached Table Damask worth \$1 25 at L. S. GOOD & CO.'s. MILLANERY OPENING To-day at SWABACKER'S.

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September 17 and 24, October 1, 8, 15 and 22, \$2.25 round trip to Pittsburgh, via Pennsylvania lines, from Wheel-lig, for the exposition; return compons-valid two days. This rate includes ad-mission to the exposition.

MANY political speakers, clergymen MANY political speakers, clergymen, singers and others who use the voice excessively, rely upon One Minute Cough Cure to prevent huskiness and larnysitis. Its value as a preventive is only equaled by its power to afford instantaneous relief. Charles R. Goetze, corner Twelfth and Market streets; Bowie & Co., Bridgeport; Peabody & Son, Benwood.

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Some of the best physicians who have had their eyes examined and investigated Prof. Sheff's new scientific method of examining the eyes and fitting glasses without use of drugs and making the patient, is wonderful and the patient, and the eyes free and will examine the eyes free at 1110 Main street.

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In buying your fall outfit you naturally want the best obtainable for the price you pay. Nowhere can you get such satisfactory garments as here. SATIS. FACTORY FABRICS, SATISFACTORILY TAILORED, SATISFACTORY FIT, SATIS. FACTORY PRICES. Add to this the privilege of getting your money back for whatever doesn't suit and you can easily see why EVERYBODY SAYS THIS IS THE IDEAL SHOPPING PLACE of the town, It is a treat to men who appreciate good clothes to look through our new stock. Fabrics not usually seen except at the best custom shops are here in higvarieties, cut in the best fashion, tailored faultlessly, and perfect fitting, at less than the usual ready made

\$8 TO \$25.

With a record of which we may well feel proud in catering to the juvenile population, we are this season showing an assortment in Suits, Overcoats and Reefers that is still far ahead of competition, ahead even of our own previous efforts. Better materials, better trimmings, better workmanship, and newer styles, at less than others' prices, is what puts us in the lead and keeps us there

As the Needs Creep In Bear Us in Mind,

GOLD OR SILVER-WHICH?

Plenty of it to be given away to every purchaser, See window display. Get a Key. Get a Key.

THE HUB Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers...

Market and Fourteenth Sts.

Wheeling's Largest and Only-Strictly One-Price House.

THE BEST-BAER'S CLOTHING HOUSE.

THE BEST THAT "READY-MADE" CAN DO.

> There's a BEST in ready-made Clothing the same as in almost every line. It is not to be expensive to hold a prejudice against Clothing ready-made without seeing the BEST—OURS. This Fall our Fancy Suits are of patterns strictly confined to us. Every pattern of pronounced type was bought in limited quantity, enough only for a few suits—tinus the last objection to our sort of ready-made is swept away—EQUAL TO CUSTOM MADE SUITS is the prevailing styles of "Checks and Overplaids"—\$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00. In our Overcoat Department (second floor) we are showing a great many, moveltiest both in style of cloth and manner of triumping. cloth and manner of trimming. Kersey Overcoats in black and blue, made of absolutely pure Wool (proven by acid test to be last color), lining of Catherine Italian, Ivory Buttons, fashionable length, Silk Velvet Collar

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An endless variety of Colores

Dress Goods in the new Weaves

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Ladies' Jackets. Ladies' Cloth Capes. Ladies' Piush Capes. Misses' and Children's Wraps.

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